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- specification cover sheet
- description (33 pages)
- claims (5 pages)
- Abstract of the disclosure
- Formal drawings (20 sheets)
- Nonpublication Request (PTO/SB/35)

The description and claims are written in the Japanese language.

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